

Docket No. 203079US-2

IN RE APPLICATION OF: Kouji MASUMOTO ET AL.

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SERIAL NO: 09/783,976

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FOR: STATOR IRON CORE OF ELECTRIC MOTOR, MANUFACTURING METHOD THEREOF, ELECTRIC MOTOR, AND COMPRESSOR

COMMISSIONER FOR PATENTS  
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SIR:

Transmitted herewith is an amendment in the above-identified application.

- ☒ No additional fee is required
- ☐ Small entity status of this application under 37 C.F.R. §1.9 and §1.27 is claimed.
- ☒ Additional documents filed herewith: Marked-up Copy of Amendment w/Attachment A, Korean Office Action

The Fee has been calculated as shown below:

CLAIMS	CLAIMS REMAINING		HIGHEST NUMBER PREVIOUSLY PAID	NO. EXTRA CLAIMS	RATE	CALCULATIONS
TOTAL	4	MINUS	20	0	x \$18 -	\$0.00
INDEPENDENT	1	MINUS	6	0	x \$84 =	\$0.00
		<input type="checkbox"/> MULTIPLE DEPENDENT CLAIMS			+ \$280 -	\$0.00
		TOTAL OF ABOVE CALCULATIONS				\$0.00
		<input type="checkbox"/> Reduction by 50% for filing by Small Entity				\$0.00
		<input type="checkbox"/> Recordation of Assignment			+ \$40 -	\$0.00
		TOTAL				\$0.00

- ☐ A check in the amount of \$0.00 is attached.
- ☒ Please charge any additional Fees for the papers being filed herewith and for which no check is enclosed herewith, or credit any overpayment to deposit Account No. 15-0030. A duplicate copy of this sheet is enclosed.
- ☒ If these papers are not considered timely filed by the Patent and Trademark Office, then a petition is hereby made under 37 C.F.R. §1.136, and any additional fees required under 37 C.F.R. §1.136 for any necessary extension of time may be charged to Deposit Account No. 15-0030. A duplicate copy of this sheet is enclosed.

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AMENDMENT

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SIR:

In response to the Official Action mailed February 6, 2003, please amend this application as follows:

IN THE CLAIMS

Please amend Claim 1 to read as follows:<sup>1</sup>

1. (Twice Amended) A stator iron core of an electric motor comprising:  
plural magnetic pole segments, each having a back yoke portion and a teeth portion  
projected from the back yoke portion, said each of the plural magnetic pole segments being  
connected together via a connection portion provided at an outer circumference side of the  
back yoke portion,

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<sup>1</sup>A marked-up copy of the changes made to this claim is attached.